





## Temperance Department.

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**Our Address.**  
All persons sending letters to the Temperance Department of this paper, will direct them to the "Committee," P. O. T. at this place.

**Creditable.**  
Not a person was seen about the court house at its recent term, at all under the influence of intoxicating drink, and the subject was commented upon by many. Have the Good Templars been at work in this county, and is their influence appreciable?

**Apologetic.**  
This department has been neglected for the past few issues, owing to pressing engagements in other quarters, where subsistence depended. Our effort in this department is without any pecuniary reward—purely a labor of love—and we trust our readers will pardon us in making it secondary to higher duties. We will endeavor to make it more interesting in the future than in the past, and thus atone for our shortcomings.

**Sweet Cider.**  
We learn that sweet cider has attacked the Union City Lodge and decimated some of its best and truest members. It is but the old story of the juice of the apple, which mother Eve eat and then passed over to Adam. Sisters, especially, should beware of the appearance of evil, for they know the power of its influence.

**Our Influence.**  
We listened on Sunday last to a discourse from one of the most eminent divines of the Union upon the above subject, in which the masterly skill of genius, the force of logic, the power of the Gospel were happily combined to rivet conviction upon the mind. The subject was treated in the varied lights—religiously, morally, socially and civilly, and the conclusion was irresistible, in whatever light it may be viewed, that "our influence never dies, but sleeps."

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If he answers that he is a well wisher of the cause, and that we have his daily prayers that temperance may be driven from the land, but he has no necessity of joining our organization. We reply that we fear that his prayers ascend no higher, than did those of Descon A. who prayed long and loud, that all the hungry and poor might be fed, while his garments and cribs were full of grain, and yet issued out on a grain to the starving multitudes around him, and who prayed that the gospel might be sent to the benighted heathen, while he held fast to his well filled pocket-book, lest a nation should jump out and get in the missionary fund.

Oh! how specious are the arguments of some well meaning men—how sacrilegious are the prayers of some prejudiced christians.

**Drinking.**  
No man ever became a drunkard, lived a drunkard's life, died a drunkard's death and filled a drunkard's grave, as a matter of free choice. No one ever became an excessive drinker who did not begin by the habit of being a moderate, a very moderate drinker. If it were the habit of all not to take the first step, the destitution and crime, which result from this master evil of temperance, would cease. Wives and children and friends and communities would not mourn over loved ones thus dishonored and lost. But it is the habit of drinking, becoming the law of their being and of their daily life, the lack of self-restraining power resulting from this terrible thralldom, the fever of habitual intemperance, which invariably causes that yearly death march of sixty thousand of our people to the saddest of all graves, followed as mourners by half a million or more than widowed wives and worse than orphaned children.

**There is not a girl on earth, whether the daughter of a prince or pauper, who made a mistake, who was a household duties, and were thrown into a community wholly unknown, would not rise from one station to another, and eventually become the mistress of her own mansion, and the mother of a family of women, placed in positions of ease, elegance, and affluence, but being unfitted to fill them, will as certainly descend from one round of the ladder to another, until the close of life, they are found where the really competent started from. Mothers of America, if you wish to aid your own and your children's household of the destroying locusts which infect your homes and eat up your substance, take a pride in educating your daughter to be perfect mistresses of every home duty; then if you leave them without a dollar, be assured they will never lack a warm garment, a box of toons meal, or a cozy roof, nor fail of the respect of any one who knows them.**

**There was once a young widow and she married a doctor. Her husband had a very serious and difficult case upon his hands, but in course of time, to the surprise of everybody, he succeeded in conquering the disease, and his patient was pronounced cured. The joy and pride of the doctor's wife cannot be described. With tears in her eyes, she said: "Oh, Charles! I do really think you are the very best doctor in the world. You ought to be known everywhere. Such a man as you should have a world-wide reputation. Oh, if I had only known you five years ago, I believe my poor Thomas would have been living now."**

A half century ago tomatoes were called love apples, and considered poisonous.

## FULTON COUNTY TEMPERANCE CONVENTION.

Silver Star Lodge, No. 416, L. O. G. T. J. FULTON STATION, N. Y., Aug. 8, 1872.

Met at their Hall at 9 o'clock, and was called to order by the W. C. T. Rogers, and the programme of the day agreed upon—and delegates elected to the Convention.

The W. C. T. then caused the members to form in procession and march to the M. E. Church, and there met the delegates from other sister Lodges. The Washington Convention was called to order by Deputy G. O. T. Robertson, of the Western District of Kentucky.

The first business in order was installation of officers elect. There being some absent, the following officers were appointed and installed by Bro. R. A. Browder of Silver Star Lodge: R. W. Barclift, Sec'y.; R. McConnell, F. S. J. Brown, W. M. E. C. L. Denton, C. S. The worthy President then appointed the following committee on credentials: Brown, Debow and Goss. Committee on state of Order: Browder, White, and Brevard.

Committee on Resolutions: Denton, Shuler, and Denton.

The delegates were then called to the front seat by the President for the other business.

The President appointed a committee consisting of Bondurant, Oliver and Harless, to confer with the delegates regard to a District Convention to be held at Mayfield about the 27th November.

The committee on credentials reported, received and adopted. And carried, that this convention meet at Ladies' Privilege Lodge, on 1st Friday in November, 1872. Moved, seconded and carried that Ladies' Privilege Lodge, frame resolutions as to the order of business, and the election of officers commence.

The following officers were then duly elected to serve for the succeeding three months: W. President, A. D. Kingman; W. V. President, Miss Mary Jordan; W. Chaplain, J. Brown, W. Secretary, R. W. Barclift, W. Asst. Secretary, Miss Lou Craig; W. M. W. B. Goss; W. Asst. M. Sister Brevard; W. Guard, Miss Mat Campbell; W. Sentinel, J. J. D. Goss; W. R. S. S. Ella Patterson; W. L. S. S. Alexander.

The Lodge then took recess for one hour.

At two o'clock, the Convention met according to appointment.

The committee on resolutions reported and received:

WHEREAS, since it has pleased our Heavenly Father to preserve our lives till the present time, and to permit us to join together in Convention in order to look after the good of the Order of Good Templars and humanity;

Resolved, That we hail with joy and pleasure this day in which we are by Divine Providence, permitted to assemble in order to get mutual encouragement and advice, looking to the advancement of the cause of Temperance.

Resolved, That we have cause to rejoice in seeing so many members of the Order to this Convention, and that we are not only encouraged, but determined to make a more vigorous effort in behalf of the cause of temperance.

Resolved, That we tender our thanks to the Ladies' Privilege Lodge, for their faithful and the very efficient manner in which they have discharged their duties.

Resolved, That the thanks of this association are hereby tendered to all who have labored for their interest manifested in the cause of Temperance, and for the very cordial manner in which they received and treated members of this Convention.

Also, the Committee on the state of the Order, reported and was received, as follows:

The undersigned committee appointed on the state of the Order, beg leave to report as follows: After due investigation we find the Order in very flourishing condition, numbering as follows:

Hickman Lodge, No. 96..... 218  
Golden Star Lodge, No. 414..... 160  
Silver Star Lodge, No. 415..... 59  
Star Promise Lodge, No. 416..... 29  
Ladies' Privilege Lodge, No. 417..... 46  
Poplar Grove Lodge, No. 418..... 10  
Tyler Lodge, No. 517..... 133  
Woodland Lodge, No. .... 80

Total membership..... 756  
Submitted in F. H. and W. WHITE, R. A. BROWDER, A. E. BREVARD.

The report shows 756 members in good standing.

After the business hours of the convention were over, Bro. Robertson delivered a very appropriate lecture on Temperance.

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS.**  
Star Promise Lodge—A. J. Miller, M. A. Winston, C. M. Reeves, J. P. Dillon, and J. C. Ward.

Golden Star Lodge—Brothers, P. A. Kelly, Marion Shuck, J. S. Sheppard, Jackson Graham, and J. A. Dugan; Sisters, C. Brevard, Sallie Gregg, Mattie Campbell, and Sallie Duckworth.

Ladies' Privilege Lodge—Brothers, R. D. Oliver, J. C. Oliver, and W. B. Goss; Sisters, Eliza Atterbury, Julia Oliver, and Ella Patterson.

Silver Star Lodge—Brothers, Wm. McFall, Sr., R. A. Browder, and John McFall; Sisters, Lou Craig, Hula Brum, and Ella Patterson.

R. W. BARCLIFT, Sec'y.

The celebrated "Bea Hickman," who formerly lived in luxury by assessing means lived on corrupt Congressmen and who then constituted himself "the glass of fashion and mold of form," now has to find boarding with a negro family in a back alley in Washington City.

The announcement that Miss Nellie Grant is to make her debut in society soon, has this effect on the Boston Advertiser: "Long years have past since the White House danced to music, and the metropolis as a maiden just entering upon the threshold of womanhood to ornament and beautify with modesty and quietly deportment the executive parlors of the nation."

MURDER, rapine and cattle robbery prevail to an alarming extent on the Texas frontier. The army, whose business it is to protect the women, children and unarmed citizens of the frontier, is employed pursuing vagrant mail agents, and influencing elections in the interest of Radicalism.

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